

20 Finsbury Circus  
London 18/11/46

H. M. Bewan

My dear Friend

M. W. Chapman

I have had much  
pleasure in preparing a Box for  
your Bazaar and we shall be rejoiced  
to hear that the sale is as prosperous  
as those of former years. The Box  
was sent to Liverpool a day or two  
since to go by the Catalania Steam  
Packet which sails on the 19<sup>th</sup> inst.

I have requested the Merchant  
to whose care it was sent at Liver-  
pool to forward thee by post the  
Bill of lading, on receiving which  
thou wilt be so kind as to send  
some person to take charge of the  
Box. It is packed so close that

I fear the dresses of the Dolls will  
be a good deal crushed, but if some  
young lady will kindly take the



trouble to take off the Tracks  
and even then out it would I  
hope repair the injury. They are  
mostly dressed by young ladies of my  
acquaintance and both the materials  
and the work are so good that they  
ought to realise a good price.  
Our kind friend Esther Sturge  
contributed £2. 10. 0 towards the  
Bed which I have endeavoured to  
exped to the best advantage.  
I have estimated the cost  
value of the contents of the Bed  
at £10. 0. 0 and hope you will not  
have to pay duty on a larger  
amount. There is a half sovereign  
pinned to a cushion which will  
help defray this. In making this  
estimate I have only made a rough  
calculation of the actual money  
expended, charging nothing for the  
work in which of course the chief  
value consists. We should be  
glad to know which articles meet

Esther Sturge also sent the dresses  
of the



with the readiest sale, as a guide  
for future accessions, particularly as  
it regards the Dolls, how they travel  
and how they are liked. I fear they  
will look very different when they  
reach Boston to what they did on  
leaving us. There were a few  
lines written intended to accompany  
them left out by mistake which  
I now send. also a little paper re-  
specting some Bags done by E. Keen  
and one sheet should have been at-  
tached to a set of cards very nicely  
done by Caroline Crofton who also  
sent some other things. The other  
contributors were chiefly  
Rebecca Poyer, Louisa Brown and  
Deborah Foster. The latter an invalid  
did the small articles of beautiful  
fine knitting.

I cannot close this without  
expressing the great pleasure it  
gave me to enjoy a little of W.  
L. Garrison's valued society on two



occurs, we at our own house  
and the other at our mutual  
friends the Sturges - As W. L. G.  
spent a few days with my dear  
brother Eliza Pease he will be  
able to give her American friends  
particulars of her health etc.

She was greatly delighted  
to have her company.

May I beg my kindest  
remembrance to Wendell Phillips  
and his wife and may I also  
ask thee to thank him for a  
kind note I received from him  
through James N. Buffum?

It is very gratifying to me  
to be remembered at all by him  
and I can assure him the feeling  
of interest is reciprocal.

And now my dear friend  
with best and warmest wishes  
for the success of thy unwearying  
exertions for the oppressed. I am with  
much sincerely thy friend H. M. Bacon